

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Wednesday, November 25, 2020
9:00 AM PDT

- **Day 1 (Wednesday):** High surf (20 to 25 foot breakers) are expected along northwest facing beaches today

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

11/25/20 - 12/01/20

Wednesday-Saturday

- Breaking waves could reach 25 feet on NW facing beaches of the north coast Wednesday and Thursday
- Offshore winds will increase statewide Thursday through Saturday creating elevated to critical fire weather conditions
 - A moderate Santa Ana wind event (up to 50 mph) is expected Thursday night into Friday, with the strongest winds expected Friday
 - Critical fire weather conditions are expected due to strong winds and low relative humidity Thursday through Saturday across SW California

Sunday-Tuesday

- Elevated fire weather conditions are anticipated to continue over portions of southern CA Sunday
- No significant impacts are expected Monday and Tuesday



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

11/25/20 - 12/01/20

| <u>Hazards / Day</u> | WED | THU | FRI | SAT | SUN | MON | TUE |
|---|-------------------|-------------------|-----|-----|---------------------|-----|-----|
| Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds | | All | All | | | | |
| Snow | | | | | | | |
| Coastal Flooding | Northern Coast | Northern Coast | | | | | |
| River Flooding | | | | | | | |
| Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes) | | | | | | | |
| Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms) | | All | All | All | Southern/ Inland | | |
| Heat Risk | | | | | | | |
| Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow | | | | | | | |
| Cold | | | | | | | |



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts



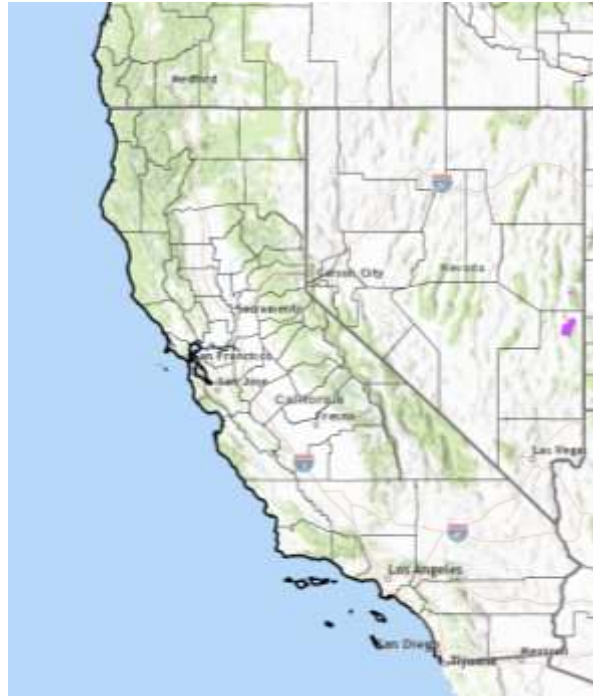
Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

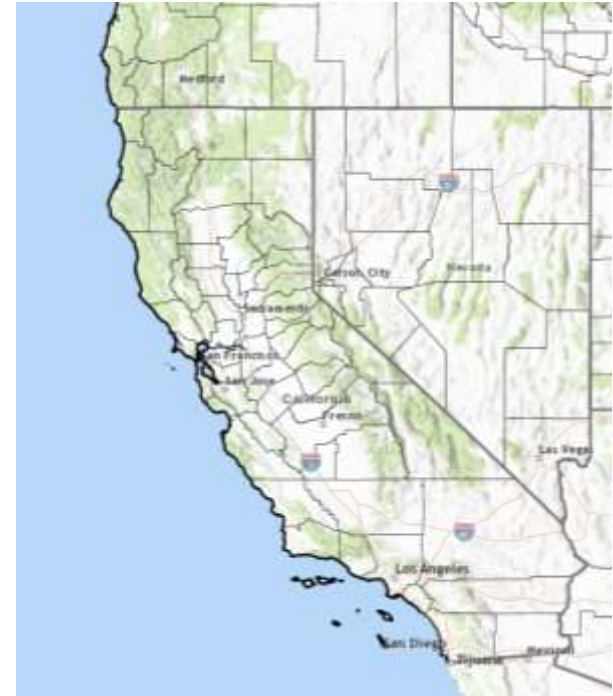
11/25/20 - 11/27/20



Wednesday



Thursday



Friday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

11/30/20 - 12/08/20

6-10 Day Outlook (November 30 – December 4)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures favored statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation favored statewide

8-14 Day Outlook (December 2 – December 8)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures strongly favored statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation favored statewide



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